How to Update a Child's Legal Status (IH and OOH Cases) in STAAND



STAAND is new for all of us. This tip sheet (and others like it), are aimed at helping you get used to the new system and accomplish your work tasks.

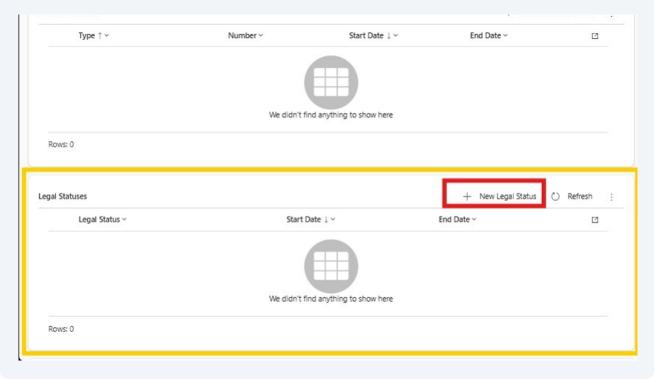
Updating Legal Status on an Out-of-Home (OOH) Case



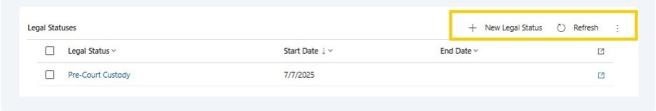
Requirements:

- If a child is separated on an emergency basis (i.e., before we go to court), the legal status in STAAND will automatically appear as "Pre-Court Custody." As soon as the court has ordered a legal status of Shelter Care, please update this status in STAAND, so that the child's record (and your court reports etc.) are accurate.
- If a child is separated on a non-emergency basis (e.g., following community papering), the legal status in STAAND will be blank. As soon as the court has ordered a legal status of Shelter Care, please update this status in STAAND.
- Similarly, when the court orders Commitment, the legal status must be updated in STAAND.
- This data entry is required for the child to have IVE (and Medicaid) eligibility.

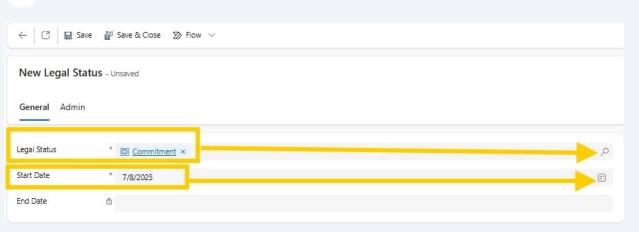
On the child's case person record, at the General Tab, scroll to the "**Legal Status**" subgrid.

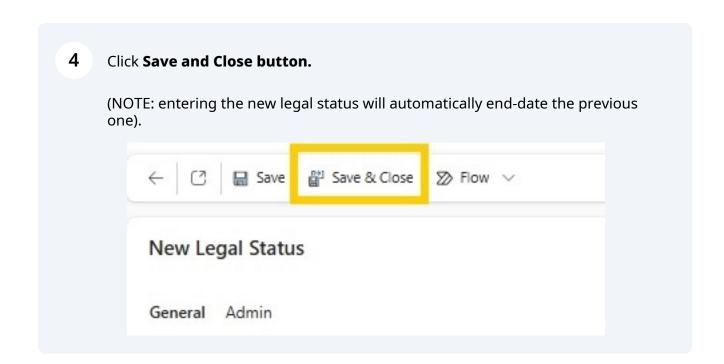


Select **+ New Legal Status** (or look for + New Legal Status to right of the Refresh button, from the three horizontal dots) to add /update the legal status.



3 Enter the new **Legal Status** and the **Date** it was ordered by the Court.





Updating Legal Status on an In-Home (IH) Case

- i Requirements:
 - If, at any point, an **In-Home Case** becomes *court-involved*, please update each child's legal status in STAAND, so that the record is accurate and managers can see which IH cases are court-involved.
- **5** Replicate **Steps 1-4** above to change the legal status on an In-Home case.
- (i) Tip!
 - Once CFSA has full court integration, our goal is that legal status changes will be automated for you.